



**Building a home?
An addition?
A shed? A deck?
Remodeling?**

Construction work, whether it is a shed, a deck or an entire subdivision can change the conditions on your property. The very nature of construction work causes a number of conditions to be on your property that provides breeding sites for mosquitoes.

While working on your property take precautions to minimize and control potential breeding sites.



Eliminate Standing Water or treat your work site with Mosquito Dunks® or other larvicides to help reduce the chances for mosquitoes to breed.



Tire tracks, open trenches, silt fences or piles of dirt can hold water and breed mosquitoes. Mosquitoes only need a few tablespoons of water to breed.



Buckets, cans, discarded boxes, mixers, or old appliances can hold water and breed mosquitoes.



Dumpsters with construction waste can hold water.



If water ponds on your job site for more than a few days, you could be breeding mosquitoes.



On large job sites, contact a mosquito control professional and have your site treated with larvicides as needed. Protect yourself, your workers and your neighbors as you build.

**Say NO to MOSQUITOES
Eliminate Standing Water**

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